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SUBJECT: RPP INTRODUCES CENSURE MOTION ON OIL PRICE ISSUE

REF: ANKARA 3680 (NOTAL)

1. OPPOSITION REPUBLICAN PEOPLE'S PARTY (RPP) INTRODUCED ITS FIRST MOTION OF CENSURE (OR INTERPELLATION) AGAINST THE DEMIREL GOVERNMENT BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY MAY 21 ON THE ISSUE OF THE CRUDE OIL PRICES WORKED OUT BETWEEN GOT ENERGY MINISTER KOLIC AND MOBIL AND BP (SEE REFTTEL AND PREVIOUS). UNDER MANDATORY LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CONSTITUTIONAL PROCEDURES, THE MOTION WAS READ TO THE ASSEMBLY

MAY 28, AND DISCUSSION AND VOTE ON WHETHER TO INCLUDE IT ON THE ASSEMBLY AGENDA ARE SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 3. IF THE MOTION WERE ACCEPTED FOR THE AGENDA, THE GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE TO REPLY WITHIN SEVEN DAYS, AND A VOTE OF NO CONFIDENCE COULD THEN BE DEMANDED.

2. COMMENT: WHILE THE OIL PRICE ISSUE HAS ATTRACTED SOME PRESS CRITICISMS OF KILIC AND THE GOVERNMENT, IT HAS NOT PRODUCED MUCH ENTHUSIASM BY TURKISH STANDARDS. THE RPP'S CO-OPPOSITIONIST DEMOCRATIC PARTY HAS YET TO TAKE A STAND, AND THE RULING NATIONALIST FRONT COALITION APPEARS FIRM ON THE ISSUE. THE OPPOSITION WOULD HAVE TO VOTE AS A BLOC AND ALSO ATTRACT TEN DEFECTORS EVEN TO PLACE THE MOTION ON THE AGENDA. THUS INTRODUCTION OF THE MOTION APPEARS TO BE PART OF THE CONTINUING RPP HARRASSMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT COALITION RATHER THAN A SERIOUS ATTEMPT TO BRING IT DOWN.  
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